

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI
OXFORD DIVISION**

TRETA FAYE DOVER

PLAINTIFF

V.

NO. 3:15CV00012-JMV

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY

DEFENDANT

ORDER ON PETITION FOR ATTORNEY'S FEES

Before the Court is Plaintiff's petition [23] for attorney's fees pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act ("EAJA"), 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d).

In these proceedings Plaintiff sought judicial review of the Social Security Commissioner's final decision denying a claim for benefits. By Judgment [21] dated October 20, 2015, this Court remanded this case to the Commissioner for further proceedings. Plaintiff now seeks an award of attorney's fees in the amount of \$6,020.00, representing 34.4 hours of attorney work at a rate of \$175.00 per hour. Plaintiff also requests reimbursement for mileage expenses in the amount of \$57.50, which represents 100 miles at a rate of \$0.575 per mile. The Commissioner does not oppose Plaintiff's requested award of attorney's fees or mileage expenses. Accordingly, the Court finds that the amount of attorney's fees requested, \$5,687.50, along with the mileage expense of \$57.50, is reasonable and should be awarded to Plaintiff for the benefit of her counsel.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

That the Commissioner shall promptly pay Plaintiff a total of \$6,020.00 in attorney's fees and \$57.50 in expenses for the benefit of her counsel.

This 1st day of December, 2015.

/s/ Jane M. Virden
U. S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE